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BOX PATENT APPLICATION
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Hiromoto OHNO, Toshio OHI, Kazunari KAGA, Ryuichi TACHI and
Itsuaki MATSUDA
MEASURING METHOD FOR CONCENTRATION OF HALOGEN AND FLUORINE
COMPOUND, MEASURING EQUIPMENT THEREOF AND MANUFACTURING
METHOD OF HALOGEN COMPOUND
Our Ref. Q60006

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including thirty-three (33) sheets of the
specification (Japanese language), including the claims and abstract, five (5) sheets of drawings, executed
Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

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| Independent claims | 1 - 3 | = | | x | \$80.00 | = | \$0.00 |
| Base Fee | | | | | | | \$710.00 |
| TOTAL FILING FEE | | | | | | | \$1034.00 |
| Recordation of Assignment | | | | | | | \$40.00 |
| TOTAL FEE | | | | | | | \$1074.00 |

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$1034.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached.
You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No.
19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and
any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency
of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from March 31, 2000, April 28, 2000 and March 16, 2001 based on Japanese
Application Nos. 2000-98453, 2000-129417 and 2001-75570, respectively. Benefit is claimed from July 6,
2000 based on U.S. Provisional Patent Application Nos. 60/216,517, and 60/216,519. The priority documents
will be filed at a later date.

Since the anniversary of the priority date fell on a Saturday, the filing of this application on Monday,
April 02, 2001, is sufficient to obtain the benefit of priority.

Respectfully submitted,
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